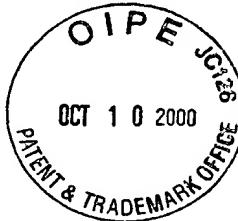


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RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the requirement to elect on invention under 35 U.S.C. 121, mailed September 22, 2000, Applicants select group I, claims 8-13 drawn to a method of adhering roofing materials without traverse. In conjunction with the election Applicants request that claims 1-7 drawn to an unelected invention be cancelled. No change in inventorship is necessitated by the cancellation of the unelected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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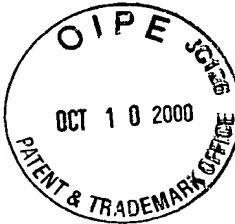
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